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In re Application of:

Holly H. HOGREFE et al.

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Examiner: C. WILDER

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PEF PROTEINS, AND METHODS
FOR PURIFYING AND
IDENTIFYING THEM

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

APPLICANT STATEMENT OF INTERVIEW SUMMARY

The undersigned now provides a statement of the substance of the telephone interview that he had with Examiner Wilder on August 10, 2005. The Examiner alleged that the claims were not enabled. The Examiner suggested amending the claims to list polymerases of the *pyrococcus* species and Vent DNA polymerase. The Examiner indicated that such an amendment would overcome the enablement rejection. The undersigned indicated that he would consider the Examiner's suggested amendment.

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Respectfully submitted,

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